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Richmond News Condensed For Easy Digestion

Richmond is looking very rosy.

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Real estate will soon take another advance. Watch the Terminal.

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Rev. W. S. Stewart and Mrs. Stewart spent Monday at the Panama-Pacific.

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Ransome Creamery Co. had some trouble with street work superinduced by the downpour.

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The Richmond Terminal newspaper occupies a field by itself in its own class. It does not ape any other publication.

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Jack Manning, manager of the dye works of that name, 225 Richmond ave., is expecting a visit from a rich uncle from Detroit.

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Northwestern ferry and automobile highway will open between Richmond and San Rafael April 1, 1915. A large trade will be routed through Richmond.

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An ordinance changing the official curb grades on a portion of Macdonald avenue between 16th and 19th streets was adopted by the city council Monday night.

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Carpenters and bricklayers are making much noise and considerable show in the building line.

Richmond keeps up the tradition of the old meeting house. Let all join the procession heavenward by the adoption of a firm New Year resolution, but keep the matter to yourself till that time.

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Claims allowed by the city council Monday night totaled $35,083. Shattuck-Edinger Co. drew down $17,773.07, Moffett & Mead, highway, $13,541.86, P. A. Haviland, fees, $1050.

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A Belgian grocer near the Terminal office, says his countrymen are not in favor of emigrating or colonizing in California or any any foreign country. Belgians, he says, are a home people and prefer to remain in their native country.

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In conformity with a motion previously passed by the city council, Mayor Garrard announced the appointment of H. W. Wernse, H. Hulin and F. J. Hulaniski to serve as commissioners for Richmond at the 1915 Panama-Pacific.

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Street improvements continue. Property owners want streets improved and contractors say there is a "persistent cry" for bitulithic, the sheet iron street.

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Sheriff R. R. Veale carries very easily an official bond of $30,000.

School Bonds Find Market At Home

School bonds to the amount of $75,000 were purchased Monday when County Treasurer Sullenger, under authority of the resolution adopted by the supervisors, became a bidder for Richmond school bonds at par and accrued interest. These bonds will return interest at 4 per cent, amounting to a couple of thousand dollars. The Richmond board of education is now in a position to carry out the proposed plans in school improvement, which includes sites for buildings in East Richmond, Pullman and Little Cerrito hill. Improvements will include repairs on the Fairmont building and also additional rooms for the Peres school.

Another daily newspaper for the evening field is being prospected by capitalists from Salt Lake.

Medicos to Banquet Tomorrow Night

The annual banquet of the Contra Costa Medical society will be held at Hotel Oakland tomorrow night. President Dr. U. S. Abbott and Secretary E. B. Fitzpatrick are making elaborate preparations for the affair. Mrs. C. R. Leach, wife of Dr. C. R. Leach of Walnut Creek, will give the toast, "The Doctors." Dr. W. S. Teorge of Antioch will act W. S. George of Antioch will act as toastmaster.

Newton Named As New Manager

Fred C. Newton, who has been manager of the Richmond Lumber company for the past year, has been named by the Tilden Lumber company as the manager of its new depot at Crockett. The Crockett yard will be one of considerable importance for it will supply the straits district, or about 10,000 people.

Ask For Credit

SPECIALLY PRICED This Week

SUITS - - - - - $22.75
New fabrics, new colors and the most approved styles.

COATS - - - - $10.00
Just the cloth coat you want for these cool, snappy, rainy days.

FUR COATS——FUR SETS
This assortment has been marked down regardless of cost—and you may pay when you can—buy now.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT
is being Closed Out
Every trimmed and untrimmed hat is marked below cost. A really unusual Millinery offering

FREE—With every garment purchased (either women's or misses') of $25 or over we will give an 18-inch OSTRICH PLUME valued at $7.50. The purchase must be made before Dec. 24.

EASTERN OUTFITTING COMPANY
581 Fourteenth Street

CREDIT to suit your individual ability to pay. A little down and the balance as you can.

BURYING WAR'S VICTIMS IN FRANCE.

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Wounded men who die in hospitals are buried in long trenches in newly created cemeteries. This picture was made at Rheims, France.

Fashion Announcement.

THE next issue of The Terminal will contain the first of a series of articles on women's and children's fashions. These articles will be illustrated with artistic drawings of the newest styles and will be especially written for The Terminal by one of the best fashion authorities in New York City. These exclusive and interesting letters will give the ladies of Richmond and vicinity authentic fashion information of exceptional value. Watch for the first article.

Improvements For Civic Land Center

According to the plans and specifications as submitted to the city council by John Bouquet the Civic Center Land company is planning many new improvements which when completed should make their tract one of the most beautiful home sites in this city.

New advs today—Home bakery, Pacific States Gas, Capwells, Ludewig, Edwards, Laufer, Jenkins, Southern Pacific and others.

French Soldiers Excel in Neatness

The barber cannot be spared in war, even though a soldier's head may be taken off the next day. The French soldiers in particular like to keep up appearances and to have hair and beard properly trimmed. The Paris correspondent of the London Standard

Photo by American Press Association.

FRENCH SOLDIER-BARBER AT WORK.

says that the French outdo the Germans in introducing comforts in the trenches. They have, he says, built bathrooms and barbers' shops in the trenches and have even a cafe and concert hall, all underground, warm and lighted, and less than half a mile from the German lines.

Portland, Ore., and Portland, Me., are alike in having prohibition.—Boston Herald

New Yorkers are reported to be drinking less. The times there must be hard.—Detroit Free Press.

Philadelphia is considering the advisability of selling bread by weight. Then let Philadelphia look out for the cobblestone biscuit and the granite block loaf.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

More Industries For California Cities

Herbert F. Brown, prominent realty man, has returned from a three months' trip in the east, where he visited many cities and got a line on a number of industrial plants that are contemplating establishing branches on this coast and maybe in Richmond.

LITTLE BOOSTERS

The Eastern Outfitting Co. extend liberal credit terms.

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H. C. Penry was awarded the brick contract on the new Grant school.

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Richmond clerks' union, elected officers last night. The union has 50 members.

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Doctors Woodruff, Blake, Caesar and Horner have elegantly appointed offices in the revised Hinkleman building, at 7th and Macdonald. Architect James Narbett is located there also.

"PHILOSOGRAPHS."

Engineers are hoist by their own petards and war vessels by their own mines.

What is the use of talking about the horrors of war when an army retreats in automobiles?

"Millions for relief!" is almost a better cry than the familiar one of "millions for defense!"

A lady writer claims crime is rare among actors, but perhaps she has never seen some of them act.

Pockets for skirts are predicted. In which case hubby may be able to recoup himself if he can find the pocket.

Judging by recent financing, we are willing to lend Europe money on the condition that it doesn't try to take it away.

An insurance company in London is taking wagers on the length of the world war. There are men who would bet on a funeral if they had a chance.

For the first time in 214 years a spy has been shot in the tower of London. Incidentally, that is about as far back as the war has thrown European civilization.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of California.
In the Matter of H. J. Hoffman, Bankrupt.
To the Creditors:
Take notice that H. F. Hobson, Trustee of the estate of the above named bankrupt, has filed herein his First Account and Report, and that at the office of the undersigned, on the Seventh Floor of the Union Savings Bank Building, 13th and Broadway, in the City of Oakland, California, on the 14th day of December, 1914, at 11 o'clock a. m., which day and hour are hereby fixed for the meeting of creditors of the above named bankrupt, said report and account of said trustee will be examined and passed upon and claims entitled to priority will be determined and ordered paid, and claims of creditors not already allowed will be passed upon and determined, and a dividend declared and ordered paid on claims duly filed and allowed.
Dated, Dec. 4, 1914.
WM. J. HAYES,
Referee in Bankruptcy in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.

YOU COULD HAVE DONE BETTER AT THE RICHMOND TERMINAL.

Pasarow Bros. Visit Richmond

J. D. and Chas. Pasarow, manufacturers and jobbers in millinery, San Francisco, were in Richmond Thursday. They own valuable property in Richmond, and contemplate making extensive improvements at Nevin and Sixth, where they own several fine business lots.

Need More Wells.

It is said residents of some portions of Richmond must carry water on account of its scarcity. Other parts of the city can be flooded in two hours from wells eighty feet deep.

City Council Votes Six to Three For Harbor Center

George S. Wall, president of the Harbor Center Land Co., who was present at the city council meeting Monday night, advised the council that his company was ready and anxious to fulfill their contract in the erection of the new city hall at once on their tract, and requested the city council to pass upon the plans and specifications without delay.

On motion of Councilman Fernald seconded by Councilman Hartnett, the city clerk was authorized and directed to execute proposed contract presented by Wall's company for the erection of a new city hall in Harbor Center tract.

Those voting aye were: Fernald, Hartnett, Penry, Picton, Willis and Garrard.

Noes: Ludewig, Follett and Lane.

On motion Hartnett seconded by Willis, plans for the new city hall were referred to the building committee.

Interesting Lectures By Oakland Minister

Rev. F. J. Van Horn, pastor of the First Congregational church, Oakland, is attracting large audiences to hear his lecture-sermons. Last Sunday night he touched on the idle rich, and spoke from personal observation. Next Sunday night he will deliver for the first time in California the popular message "There's a Boy in Your Eye." Every man should hear this sermon and take a boy with him, even if he has to borrow one.

The Terminal printed it for me.

"Doc" Was Born Under Right Sign

Dr. Warren B. Brown, former publisher of the oldest newspaper in Richmond (The Terminal), has received a letter from London attorneys informing him that he has fallen heir to a share in a large estate near Wolvesnewton, England.

The banks of Richmond show signs of prosperity by loans, returns coming back by increased deposits. The bank that loans the most money grows apace.

Read Capwells display for Xmas selections.

The Bigness and Bestness of

CAPWELL STOCKS

ARE A GREAT HELP IN SOLVING PERPLEXING GIFT PROBLEMS

IF YOU ARE IN DOUBT COME HERE FOR THE SUGGESTIONS THAT EVERY DEPARTMENT IN THE STORE OFFERS.

Santa Claus is here every day and is doing a tremendous business in the toy department.

Let the children come in often to see all the wonderful things in this Dept.

MORE TOYS COMING DAILY

Imports orders that we did not expect to get are arriving, making tremendous additions to the already large stocks and filling the gaps caused by the heavy selling.

Doll's Hospital Now Equipped
Bring all the little injured Dollies here to be mended. We make them good as new.

MANY NEW KEWPIE NOVELTIES

These little gloom chasers have just arrived from Germany and are cunning beyond our power to describe. Come in and see them. A large army of Kewpie Dolls with guitars, with pens, Kewpie Dolls in chairs, Kewpie Dogs and other novelties. 10c and up.

Christmas Gifts for Baby

HERE ARE SOME OF THE THINGS APPROPRIATE FOR

Baby's Xmas Stockings

Infants' Sweaters—In all white and white combined with pink or blue, cardinal and oxford. Some with high, others with rolling collars. Double breasted styles with outside pockets—$1.25, $1.50 to $2.25.

Leggings—Drawer and knee styles in colors to match the Sweaters—50c to $1.25.

Toques—To match Sweaters and Leggings—35c to 75c.

Crochet Wool Caps—To match the Sweaters in white and white combined with pink or blue—50c to $1.25.

Crochet Bootees—Silk and wool and all silk. Short or knee length—20c, 35c to $1.25.

Hand Painted Toilet Sets—In two, three and four-piece sets—90c, $1.25 to $2.75.

Soap and Powder Boxes—Hand painted powder, soap, ribbon and talcum boxes—65c to $1.00.

Baby Record Books—Moire and satin covers, hand painted—40c, 85c to $1.75.

Hot Water Bottles—Of hand-painted moire or satin. Colors pink and blue—$1.00 and $1.35.

Coat Hangers—Of pink or blue satin ribbon. Some hand-painted, others with ornaments, including crochet ball and teething rings and bells—$1.25, $1.50 and $1.75.

Rattles—Crochet Doll Rattles with bells. Lined with white, pink and blue—$1.25 to $1.75. Hand-painted rattles—35c, 50c to $1.00.

Creeping Beads—25c.

Blouses Ready for Xmas

New models and exclusive styles in women's pretty blouses. Both lingerie and dress styles, the latter of lace, crepe or chiffon, all beautifully trimmed with fine laces, smart touches of color, dainty little bouquets of roses and tiny fancy buttons. Made with long or short sleeves and the new collar that runs high in the back. These are priced from $6.50 to $25.00.

Exquisitely new lingerie blouses are made of fine white voile, with the chief charm in their exquisite daintiness, and the beautiful finish of every seam, and the very distinctive styles in collars and cuffs—$1.25 to $5.00.

Agents for Butterick Patterns

H. C. Capwell Co. THE LACE HOUSE OAKLAND.

Clay, 14th and 15th Sts., Oakland

COAST HAPPENINGS TERSELY RELATED

Recent Occurrences in Pacific States Told in Short Items Quickly Perused

Santa Rosa.—The bar at the mouth of the Russian river was blown out last week and the high waters in the river allowed to flow out into the sea.

Phoenix, Ariz.—Governor Hunt issued a cattle quarantine proclamation prohibiting the transportation of cattle into Arizona from any State except California.

Stockton.—Rev. W. A. Squires, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church of this city, has resigned to become pastor of the Lebanon Church in San Francisco.

Portland.—Mrs. Molly Irwin, formerly postmistress at Austin, Or., pleaded guilty in the United States District Court here to a charge of having embezzled $1650 Government funds.

Montague.—A herd of two and three year old shorthorned Durham heifers, from the stock farm of J. A. Walker, were delivered to the Montague stockyards for shipment to Fulton, Nev.

Truckee.—Truckee is preparing for a winter carnival which it is expected will set a new standard in winter sports in California, and mark the famous Sierra lake as a winter as well as a summer resort.

Washington.—The San Francisco Chamber of Commerce filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission, on behalf of many shippers, large reparation claims for switching charges formerly collected by railroads there.

Lindsay.—Grapefruit does well in this country, as is evidenced by a big bunch brought in this week. The fruit was grown in the McMercer grove and held just an even forty on a limb, not bigger than your thumb.

Santa Clara.—The Board of Town Trustees of Santa Clara has called a special bond election to be held on December 21st. On the issuance of $30,000 bonds for completing the State highway through the town of Santa Clara.

Woodland.—Signatures of 184 voters of the Third Supervisorial District have been filed with the County Clerk of Yolo county, calling for a wet and dry election to be held under the Wyllie local option law in the near future.

Orland.—The movement of $250,000 worth of rice by river freight through Sacramento this month points conclusively to the fact that rice growing in Glenn, Butte and Colusa counties is no longer an experiment, but an established industry.

San Luis Obispo.—An inch and a half of rain has fallen here the past week and is hailed with delight by stockmen and the dairy interests. By Christmas there will be good feed on the ranges. Prospects are excellent for a good dairy season.

Geyserville.—Considerable activity has been shown during the past week among prune buyers. Some lots have been bought for 5¼, 5½ and some offers made as high as 5¾ cents, which figures seemed to gather in about all of the season's crop.

White River.—After having been idle for the past several years, due to legal complications, mines of the White river district are again active and the owners of property here state that large forces of men will be employed in this district during the winter.

Berkeley.—The spirit of Christmas has influenced thirty girls of the Ivy Club of Berkeley High School to abandon their annual dance this year and to give instead a Christmas party that dinners may be provided as many poor families as there are members in the club.

San Francisco.—A hail storm, with thunder and lightning accompaniment, struck San Francisco last Saturday. The lightning struck the flagpole on the top of the Bank of Italy building, Montgomery and Washington streets, and tore the pole from its fastenings, hurling it, shattered, far and wide.

Oakdale.—The English and French armies are trying to buy California horses to replace the thousands killed in action. I. C. Felleman, a New York broker, has written and wired to his cousin, H. Sanders of this city, asking him to contract horses for the allies at once.

Eureka.—The Redwood Pulp and Paper Company has purchased a site on Warner creek for their new mill, and also contracted stumpage and second growth timber sufficient to operate the plant for a number of years. A branch line of railroad has been built to the site.

Alaska is Prosperous

San Francisco.—An era of unprecedented prosperity and development is about to open to Alaska, according to Governor J. F. A. Strong, who, accompanied by Mrs. Strong, arrived in San Francisco from Juneau. Mining and agricultural development, the building of the Government railways, the opening of the Panama canal and the 1915 exposition in San Francisco are the agencies combining to brighten Alaska's future, says Governor Strong.

PARIS RECEIVES CAPTURED GERMAN STANDARDS

Great ceremony attended the occasion of the conveying of seven captured German war standards to the museum of the Invalides in Paris. The photograph shows the flags being carried across the courtyard.

RUSSIANS MOUNTING HEAVY GUNS WITHIN STRIKING DISTANCE OF CRACOW

London.—With the lull in the battle in the west, which has assumed the proportions of a heavy cannonade at widely separated points, with only occasional infantry attacks, interest is now almost entirely centered in the struggle between the Russian and German hosts in the east.

At last the Russians have approached within firing distance of Cracow, their steady advance from Przemysl having proceeded without any real check. They were reported to be mounting heavy batteries around the town of Wieliczwa, which they occupied, and from which the outer forts of Cracow can be reached.

Important as this is—for the fall of Cracow would lay open the roads to Vienna, Breslau and Berlin—the main interest in the east continues to rest with the operations on the irregular front from Czenstochowa through Lodz and Lowicz to the East Prussian border. Official pronouncements as to the progress here are guarded and indefinite, and it is thus difficult to arrive at a conclusion with regard to the course of events.

It is apparent, however, that a new battle has developed to the southwest of Lodz, where the Germans have formed a new line with fresh forces brought from Kalisz, and are again trying to penetrate the Russian center.

Allies Arrive in Montenegro

London.—A dispatch to the Central News from Berlin says that, according to an official announcement made there, a number of transports, escorted by British and French warships, have reached Antivari, the sole seaport of Montenegro. The Austrian ships guarding the coast are said to have retired before the newcomers. Austrian aeroplanes were active, it is stated, making disembarkations from the transports unsafe.

GERMANS ADVANCE

Berlin (by wireless to Sayville, L. I.)—The following information was given out by the official news bureau:

"Unofficial advices from Alsace say the fighting is progressing actively in this minor war theater. A heavy cannonading is going on in Sundgau. The Germans are making advances against Belfort.

"The Austrians report officially a repulse to the besiegers of Pryzemysl, Galicia. The garrison made a sortie against the Russians and drove the latter back out of the outer fortifications.

"Fighting continues in the Carpathian passes.

"Although no news is being received concerning operations about Lowicz, Russian Poland, it is assumed that the German attempts to flank the Russians' right wing are continuing. The great value of such a move would consist in forcing the Russians southward away from the route toward Warsaw and into the rear of the Russian main army."

Budapest (via Amsterdam and London).—The city of Belgrade was taken by storm at the point of bayonets. The Austro-Hungarian troops approached the city from the westward and rushed the defenses.

GERMAN OFFICIAL REPORT

Berlin.—The evacuation by the Germans of Vernelles, southeast of Bethune, was officially announced in a statement issued here. The statement says:

"Vernelles was evacuated by us, according to our plan, on account of the continuous French artillery fire, which was causing unnecessary loss. The buildings which remained standing were blown up by us and our troops occupied positions prepared east of Vernelles, so that the enemy could not follow in this direction.

"Southwest of Altkirch the French renewed their attack with reinforcements, but without success and they suffered heavy loss.

"Nothing of note has taken place in the war area east of the Mazuran lakes, where the enemy remained quiet. The battle around Lodz is taking its course, as we had expected. In Southern Poland there is no change in the situation.

"Reports received in Berlin indicate that the Servians still are capable of offering considerable resistance. The Servian rear guard in the neighborhood of Arandjelovac (about forty miles southeast of Belgrade) have delivered several attacks to cover the retreat of the main army.

"The report given in the Russian statement of November 29th that the German attacks in the vicinity of Czenstochowa failed, with many casualties to the Germans, is false, the truth being quite the contrary. The attack of the Seventeenth Russian Corps, which approached to within sixty-five yards of our lines, was repulsed, the Russians taking position farther back, and leaving a large number of killed and wounded.

"From Vienna it is officially reported that small engagements near Tymbark, Galicia, have been successful.

"The position in Southern Poland is unchanged. The battle continues in Northern Poland.

"Southeast of Arandjelovac there is stubborn fighting without decision. Three hundred prisoners were taken."

FRENCH OFFICIAL REPORT

Paris.—The following official communication was issued by the French War Office:

"We have consolidated our position to the north of the house of the ferryman, on the canal between Dixmude and Ypres, which was captured December 4th.

"To the north of the Lys we have made perceptible progress. Our infantry, making its attack at daybreak, occupied in one operation two lines of entrenchments. The advance here was of 500 yards.

"A part of the hamlet of Weidendreft, one kilometer to the northwest of Langemarck, has remained in our possession. In front of Poesele, half way between Dixmude and Ypres, we took possession, on the right bank of the canal, of a house belonging to a ferryman, the occupation of which had been disputed spiritedly for a month.

"The enemy endeavored, but without success, to compel us by means of a violent attack with heavy artillery, to evacuate the conquered ground.

"In the region of Arras and in Champagne there have been intermittent cannonades from one side and the other. Rheims has been bombarded with particular severity. On our part, we have destroyed with our heavy artillery several earth fortifications of the enemy.

"In the Argonne the contest continues to be very hotly waged. We have occupied several trenches and repulsed all counter attacks.

"In Belgium on December 5th, not far from the Haszur House, our heavy artillery destroyed a German field fort. The enemy made a vain attempt to recapture Weidenreft.

"In the Champagne district our very active artillery successfully counteracted the batteries of the adversary.

"In the Argonne the war of the sapper was pursued. We continued to progress slowly, repulsing all the enemy's attacks.

"Slight progress was likewise made in the region southeast of Varennes. The German artillery there has been silenced."

KAISER ORDERS OUT ALL SUBJECTS FIT FOR ARMY DUTY

Rotterdam.—Berlin papers publish the following proclamation:

"We, William, by God's grace, German Kaiser and King of Prussia, command the following changes in conscription:

"That all those members of the Landsturm who were not called out by command of August 15th, are now called up, every man of them.

"All the men in the country are called upon to report themselves not later than December 20th, and those Germans who are in foreign countries must either by writing or orally, report themselves to the nearest representative of the German government."

AUSTRIAN REPORT

Vienna (via London).—The following official communication was issued:

"The battle in Poland is progressing favorably. The Russian forces marching to Galicia were attacked by Austrian and German troops. We captured 2200 prisoners and some trains.

"In the Carpathians there has been some fighting. The enemy, who broke into Beskia Stelburg, has been repulsed with the loss of 500 prisoners.

LODZ TAKEN BY GERMANS AFTER FIERCE STRUGGLE

London.—Lodz, the second city of Poland, and lying seventy-five miles to the west-southwest of Warsaw, has fallen to the German arms. It was occupied Sunday, according to the official announcement from Berlin.

Around this important town, a desperate battle has raged for days. Here many thousands have fallen in desperate hand-to-hand conflicts and from the shells of hundreds of guns.

It was evident from the occupation of Lodz by the Germans that the heaviest kind of fighting has been going on, for late advices told of a vicious attack and bombardment of Lodz, and fighting on the outskirts of the city, and previous to that of operations twenty miles west of Piotrkow, which lies considerably south of Lodz and along a line from Glowno, sixteen miles northeast of Lodz, to the Vistula river.

Lodz has long been an objective point of the German army. It has grown in recent years from an insignificant place to be one of the most populous cities in the Russian empire. In 1910 its population numbered 415,604, and with this important place as a base, it is expected that the Germans will make a strong effort to reach the Polish capital of Warsaw.

QUIET IN MEXICO IS REPORTED OFFICIALLY

Povisional President Gutierrez and General Villa in Charge

Washington.—Provisional President Gutierrez and General Villa are in Mexico City, and several of their military chiefs have gone to Cuernavaca to discuss with General Zapata and his officers the distribution of forces in the capital and vicinity. It was reported in official dispatches to the State Department that conditions in Mexico City were quiet. "Zapata soldiers, very poorly clad, some being barefooted, patrol the city," said an announcement from the State Department, summarizing official messages. "The army of the north is encamped in the suburbs; no further molestation of foreigners has occurred and fair order is being maintained. Thus far there has been no friction." Brigadier General Bliss reported that bullets from Mexican snipers in Naco, Sonora, continued to strike in American territory. He has again protested to Governor Maytorena to prevent shots from being fired over the border.

ON THE FUNNY SIDE

SELLING TURKEYS IN TEXAS

Butcher Makes Customers Believe Rival Is Unfair in Selling Fowl With Legs Cut Off.

Speaking of the unsophisticated the other night, Congressman Robert L. Henry of Texas related how a young wife went to a butcher shop to buy a turkey.

The price named for the bird, the congressman said, was 26 cents a pound, whereat the young wife hesitated.

"Isn't 26 cents rather high?" she timidly queried. "If I remember rightly, the price across the way is 23 cents."

"With the feet on, I suppose," was the quick response of the butcher.

"No," hesitatingly returned the customer, "I think the feet were cut off."

"That's just what I thought!" was the confident declaration of the butcher, as he began to wrap up the bird. "When we sell a turkey, madam, we sell feet and all!"—Philadelphia Telegraph.

A Rapid Thinker.

"Dableigh seems to have an answer ready for everybody."

"I'm sorry to say he had one ready for me this morning."

"What was it?"

"I asked him if he would lend me a five-spot and he answered 'No' before I could tell him how necessary it was for me to have it."

Consolation.

"So you don't care for those fancy bred dogs?"

"Oh, I suppose they're not so bad as they might be," replied the weary looking man. "I'm glad we don't have dinosaurs and pterodactyls nowadays. My wife would be sure to want one of them for a pet."

Laid in a Supply.

Newedd—This milk is much better than what we've been having.

Mrs. Newedd—Yes, dear, I got it from a new man. He guaranteed that it was perfectly pure, so I bought enough to last a couple of weeks.—Boston Evening Transcript.

When Money Falls.

"And can I have the captain's cabin?" demanded the very rich gentleman.

"Not exactly," replied the booking clerk. "I can give you a chicken coop or a nice place in the coal bunkers."

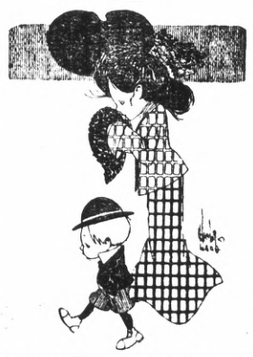
And the other passengers smiled.

An Arbitrary Proceeding.

"Pa, what does it mean to be called to the colors?"

"In autocratic countries, son, it means much the same thing as your mother telling you to do something you don't want to do and threatening to dust your jacket if you don't."

THAT'S WHY.



Mother—Willie, why will you persist in telling such fibs?

Willie—Well, dad says that's the only way to git along wid you.

A Misunderstanding.

"Will you give me your name, please?" asked the young lady who was making a list of those present.

"Excuse me," said he between blushes, "but I will have to plead that this is not leap year."—The Pathfinder.

His Job.

"What's the matter, old man? Been in a boiler explosion?"

"No. Had the coal put in today and 'Ive just crawled over it to fasten the cellar window."—Detroit Free Press.

Coming and Going.

Guest (after registering at New York hotel)—I shall probably be here for a month.

Clerk—I think we can guarantee the hotel will be here that long, sir.—Puck.

Nothing to Fuss About.

"I've been a model husband for six months."

"That's a fine record."

"And my poor wife finds life so dull she's about to die of ennui."

His Mistake.

"I think that chap would like to buy my place. I've been cracking up the value in great shape."

"Why, you fool, that's our new tax assessor!"—Judge.

Merry Xmas

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Shorty, as he is known, had a nice, new green minnow bucket, and in this bucket he placed the frogs and crickets. That night he slept peacefully, with now and then a pleasant dream of heroic struggles with the big fish of the lake. He was going fishing in the morning. He got up, gathered his traps and calamities together and then inspected the bucket of bait. The crickets had disappeared, but the frogs were still there, and they appeared to have fattened considerably during the night.

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TIME FOR CALMNESS

Things That Mother and Father Had to Worry About.

By LAWRENCE ALFRED CLAY.

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When the glorious days of autumn came Mrs. John Treadwell said to her daughter Ida: "Your father can get away from his business next week."

"I'm glad of it."

"And last night he suggested that he and I take an auto trip of several days."

"Good!"

"You wouldn't want to visit some girl friend of yours for four or five days would you?"

"So that the house might be closed while you are gone?"

"Yes."

"You are a poor hand to plan, mother. Where would the cook go? What would become of my rabbits? We have chickens to be cared for. If the house is left alone some one will rob it."

"Yes," sighed the mother.

"Whereas," continued Miss Ida, "if Mollie Perkins comes down to keep me company nothing whatever will happen, and things will go along just lovely."

"I wonder if they would?" reflected the mother.

"Why, how could they help it? In my mind's eye I see the daily program: Arise at 7:30. Breakfast at eight o'clock. Feed the chickens. Feed the rabbits. Walk in the dewy grass. Climb an apple tree. Throw stones at the crows. Lunch and then a long walk. And then, and so forth and so forth, until time to lock up the house at night, and get the cook in and have her tell murder and ghost stories for an hour, and then all go to bed and shiver."

"Yes, that will be the way of it, and your father and I can't go."

"You and father can dust right along, and you need not worry one little bit about the house. If you come back and find us dead you may be sure that we died game."

Miss Mollie Perkins was telephoned to and she uttered a shriek of delight and within two hours was on her way down. In due time the autoists got away, but not until they had wasted half an hour in cautioning the daughter, the visitor and the cook.

If anything happened each one was to be calm—very calm. Even if it became necessary to shoot a tin peddler with the ancient and unloaded revolver, reposing on the top shelf in a closet, it must be done calmly and the hurrah left out.

Nothing happened the first day. Nothing but that the kitchen chimney burned out, one of the rabbits choked to death on a hunk of sweet apple, and a young farmer, who called to sell a crock of butter, winked at the visitor and was heard to mutter:

"Gosh all hemlock, but she must have tumbled out of bed up in heaven this mornin' and fell clear down here!"

The cook told three murder stories that evening, but somehow after midnight all three women got to sleep and nothing happened to disturb their slumbers.

Nothing happened on the second day. Nothing but that the old rooster got the feeling that his work on earth was done and laid him down and sighed and breathed his last. Shortly after lunch the cook struck for higher wages, but after an hour's argument she lowered her flag and started in to make some apple tarts. A stray pig got into the garden, but it wasn't over an hour before he was made to see the error of his ways.

At night the cook, whose conscience troubled her for striking, related no less than five true ghost stories, each one of which was received with the proper number of shivers, but no white-robed figure wandered up and down the halls, and no murderer tried to gain access to the house by the pantry window.

It was the next day that it happened. There were plenty of apples on the ground and in the kitchen, but there were some on the tree that looked a great deal better. Besides, there was the fun of climbing the tree. It would not be true to say that Miss Mollie Perkins shinned up that tree like a squirrel. She didn't do it even like a boy. No girl can. This one drew herself slowly up after repeated efforts, and at last reached a limb about twelve feet from the ground. She was being congratulated on her athletics, when she lost her hold and uttered a yell and struck the ground.

As the victim struck on her head, and as she was unconscious when yelled at, it was the logical conclusion that she was either dead of a broken neck or badly injured. In either case the doctor must be summoned.

Ring! Ring! Ring! No answer from central. The wire had got tired of being a live wire and had gone dead.

The cook must go three miles after the doctor. But how could she with that rheumatic knee?

Miss Ida ran down to the gate. There wasn't a vehicle of any sort in sight. She must go for the doctor herself, and after she had instructed the cook to throw an occasional pail of water over the girl under the tree, she set off. Her mother had cautioned her to be calm. She was calm. Her shoestrings were flapping about, she was bareheaded and her hair flying as she climbed the fence into the highway.

Mr. Earl Depew, who lived in the big town and had something to do with a large manufacturing plant, had come down that morning in his auto to see a relative, and there stood the machine in front of the house. The calm and unexcitable Miss Ida saw it from a distance and had time to lay her plans. As she reached it she climbed to the chauffeur's seat, threw in the clutch and away she went.

The doctor was not at home, but three miles away setting a bone. The trip back was made by another road, and thereby they missed Mr. Depew, who had procured a horse and was galloping about the country in search of the bold-faced thief. After wasting hours on the hunt, the young man put the case in the hands of the sheriff and hied himself to town.

The cook had not poured over half a dozen pails of water over the form of the girl on the grass when there was a revival. No one had her neck or any bones broken. Even a girl cannot tumble from a tree and strike on her head and hope to escape a stiff neck for the next few days, but the doctor thought that would be the extent of it.

Miss Ida must take the doctor home in the stolen auto. It was while doing this that they were seen by a party who knew the doctor, but not the other. This party telephoned the sheriff, and an hour later the doctor found himself under arrest.

"Why, that auto belongs to a young lady," he protested.

"Oh, it does, eh!"

"At least Miss Treadwell came for me with it."

"I see. You will have to appear in court in this case. The owner of the machine says it was a brazen case of theft."

Miss Ida took the auto back to the house and left it, but no one saw her. Two hours later the sheriff arrived, and, being full of official zeal, he said:

"It's a state prison offense, but if you plead guilty you may get off with a light sentence. Is this the first auto you ever stole?"

Miss Ida's mother had not cautioned her against getting mad, and recalling that commission the girl told the officer what she thought of him and ordered him from the house. Having no warrant for her arrest he went, but he turned to her to say:

"You cannot escape the grip of justice!"

And to the stiff-necked Miss Mollie: "And you are an accessory before the fact and equally guilty. If you hadn't climbed that apple tree the auto wouldn't have been stolen. Think not to escape me by flight!"

The next forenoon when there came a ring at the bell two trembling maidens bowed their heads and held out their wrists for the handcuffs.

"Beg pardon, but is this Miss Treadwell?"

"Y—yes."

"I am Mr. Depew."

"Yes?"

"Owner of the auto you borrowed for awhile yesterday. Is this the young lady friend who fell from a tree?"

The introduction was made, and then Miss Ida said, "But I don't want her to go to jail. I alone am guilty."

The young man laughed. "No one will go to jail. I hereby apologize for my own stupidity and for the overzealousness of the sheriff. When I came out and found the auto gone I thought some rascal of a boy had taken it for a lark."

And as the three sat talking on the veranda Mr. and Mrs. Treadwell arrived home, and as they caught sight of Mr. Depew Mr. Treadwell whispered:

"If that young fellow asks me for Ida's hand, what shall I say?"

"Better make it yes," she laughed.

Phosphorescent Aeroplanes.

Phosphorescent aeroplanes and airships for night exhibitions, for advertising and for increasing safety in night flights are now proposed, and phosphorescent model flying machines were recently exhibited before an American aeronautic society.

By some new methods the light may be made of other colors besides the familiar greenish blue, so that aeroplanes painted with this phosphorescent material may make a striking color display without carrying an appreciable amount of additional weight.

The luminous glow, of course, will come only after the paint has been given a good exposure to light, but the aeroplanes would absorb enough sunlight to give a noticeable glow for some hours at night. It has also been found that mercury vapor lamps will stimulate the glow, so the machines could be given a soaking in light before going aloft at night.—Saturday Evening Post.

Revives a Venerable Witticism.

The "bat the rat" movement in Kansas recalls the story of the traveling witch as published a generation or more ago in a magazine for youth. The witch stopped at a poorly furnished home and asked for a night's lodging, offering to pay for the accommodation by killing all the rats in the place. She was entertained and immediately after breakfast the next morning was ready to take her departure when the hostess reminded her of the promise of the evening before. "Oh, sure enough," said the witch, and picking up a stick lying close by, she leaned forward, resting with one end of the stick on the floor and the other in both hands, said: "Bring on your rats!"—Kansas City Star.

Pursuit of Knowledge.

"Lady," said Plodding Pete, "do you keep a dog?"

"Yes."

"An' a cat?"

"Several of 'em."

"An', I suppose, mebbe you have something to spare to feed a hungry wayfarer?"

"Yes. Are you hungry?"

"No. I'm compilin' statistics fur de Society of Useless Information to show de reckless extravagance of de rural population."

His Latest Worry.

"He is always finding something new to worry about?"

"What's his latest?"

"He's afraid that if beef goes to a dollar a pound his doctor will prescribe it three times a day."—Atlanta Constitution.

A Reverse.

"I hear that Rogers has met with reverses since his marriage."

"One reverse, anyway. He married his stenographer and now instead of his dictating to her, she dictates to him."

ONE IDEA OF EARLY RISING

Senator Lorimer and Representative Rainey Learn Something of Breakfast Hour in Arkansas.

Senator Lorimer and Congressman Rainey of Illinois will never forget their trip down the Illinois and Mississippi rivers several years ago, when they sought to blaze the way for a deep waterway.

"The senator and I had many novel experiences on that trip," said Rainey. We traveled in a 26-foot launch, and our trip resulted in uniting 41 organizations under 'dig 'er deep' banners.

"One night we were floating about forty miles north of the Arkansas line, when it dawned upon us that we ought to put up for the night. It was beastly dark, but we heard the barking of dogs and surmised we had struck a lumber camp.

"I jumped out and knocked all the bark off my shins getting over driftwood logs. I finally sighted a hut and begged a woman there to find lodging for two.

"'We'll pay twice the regular rates and even more, and all we ask is that you wake us early so we can be on our way,' I said. For a time the woman hesitated, but the proffers of double payment overcame her and she consented to let us stop.

"'What time can you have us up?' I asked.

"'Wal,' she replied, we uns down here have breakfast at four, but if you gentlemen must get up early, I reckon I can fix it for you.'"—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Providing for His Future.

"So you have decided to send your boy to college, Mr. Wasserby?"

"Yes. My boy is too modest to make his way in this world. Judging from the effect college has on other youths, I figure that three or four years of it will give my son such a good opinion of himself it will last a lifetime."

IN A DEPARTMENT STORE.

Bixby—Hello, Jones, got a steady job here?

Jones—I'm afraid so, old man; I'm waiting for my change.

A Plot Fathomed.

"Our representative hasn't had time to leave Washington and mingle with us voters," said the smooth campaigner.

"No," replied Farmer Corntossel. "It's another one o' them party tricks. They're givin' him as little chance as possible to hang around an' make hisself unpopular."

When Women Rule.

"Madame President wishes her to accept a high place."

"Where?"

"On the board of complexions. But she refuses to accept."

"Why?"

"A number of senatoresses want to ask her a few questions about her own."—Kansas City Journal.

Bright Boy.

"Willie," said the harassed suitor to the young lady's small brother, "as I was coming in I heard a hand organ down the street. If you'll run out, maybe you'll see an Italian with his monkey."

"Nothin' doin'," answered Willie. "I'd rather stay here an' see sis make a monkey out of you."

Imagination.

"You don't care much for that dialect author."

"No," admitted Mr. Rafferty.

"But you must admit he has imagination."

"He has. He goes right ahead imagining that an Irishman says 'Ol' instead of 'I' and 'phwhat' instead of 'what.'"

Bad Place to Be.

"Do you realize that you are lucky to be living in this enlightened age?"

"I fear the age is not so enlightened as we have been led to believe, but I consider myself lucky to be living with several thousand miles of salt water between me and Europe."

Words That Mean Nothing.

"Glad to meet you."

"I'm so sorry."

"It's a pleasure, I assure you."

"Must you go?"

"Pray, command me."

"Thanks, so much."

"I was out."

That's So.

Lady (to house agent)—The great disadvantage is that the house seems to be damp.

Agent—Disadvantage, madam? Advantage, I call it. In case of fire it wouldn't be so likely to burn.—Boston Evening Transcript.

A Pony Specialist.

"Did I understand you to say that he is an authority on matters relating to the stage?"

"No, I merely said that he knows more chorus girls than any other man I ever met."

Novelty Worn Off.

Nodd—Here's a list of European war debts. Don't they stagger you?

Todd—Well, they might, old man, but I've just been looking over my monthly accounts.—Life.

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After All, Rich People Don't Really Have All the Good Things There Are in Life.

The great drawbacks of poverty are relative. Short commons are not so bad, but it hurts to be too much poorer than other people of your own sort, and all the time falling in the social scale. I suppose the Scots, with the clan and the kirk, and a lively and apprehensive community of interest in the possibilities of the future life, held so large a spiritual and sentimental property in common, and held it so hard, that they were less put out than most peoples would have been by not having material blessings enough to go round. Where very few people get rich, they have to keep on associating with the poor, because there is no one else to play with. Where many people get rich they play with one another, find that more convenient, and easily and naturally tend to become detached from close association with persons who have not succeeded in expressing themselves in money. Of course that is a terrible price to pay for affluence, but it takes more talent to avoid paying it than it takes to make money.

In our abnormally prosperous country this social separation automatically induced by money bears very hard and unfavorably on the affluent, who fail to get a profitable variety of association. But no doubt that will be better presently. The bulk of American wealth is extremely new, and hasn't formed settled habits. It is entitled to be excused for many faults and drawbacks on account of the immense good it has done. For one thing, it has added valuably to length of days. People live so much better and are so much more skilfully doctored that a reasonably large percentage of them in our time come to years of discretion. People that have any sense coming to them at all are apt to get it by the time they are sixty—though stubborn cases take longer. With the young so bumptious and confident as they are getting to be, it is not an unimportant matter that the proportion of the population that has passed even forty should be so much larger than it used to be.—E. S. Martin, in Scribner's Magazine.

Cheating the Cockerel.

Though hardly a physical hero, the vicar had a stern sense of duty. That is why, when some doubt arose as to the safety of the church spire, he decided to become a steeple-jack, for the time being, in order to see for himself what was the matter with it.

So pleased was he as having accomplished this quite easy feat that he was never tired of talking about it. His sensations on that memorable occasion were dragged into every sermon, Sunday school class, boys' club meeting and stray conversation, until the entire village was sick to death of it.

It was on a certain market day that he met his Waterloo. To a group of farmers he was going, once more, through his experiences.

"And," he was saying, "when at last I reached the very pinnacle and found myself gazing at the bronze weathercock—what do you think I did?"

"Dunno," muttered one old farmer. "But I know what you ought to have done."

"And what was that, pray?" queried the vicar.

"You ought to have apologized to the bird for doing it out of the job of crowing!"—Answers.

Women Who Carry Milk.

In these days of down-with-everything-old-fashioned there are milkwomen in the West end of London—bronzed and sturdy creatures, in blue print gown and red plaid shawl—who carry the milk around to the houses in cans slung from the yoke. There is a firm which keeps up this mode of delivery still; and if there be people who think these women might be better employed, let them stand one of them beside, let us say, a pale young shop assistant or telephone girl or nursery governess! It is a wonderfully erect and powerful specimen of womanhood, this "area belle," as she was called in the days of punning, and is probably descended from the "merry milkmaids" of Queen Anne's time, who according to the old prints, seem to have spent much time in dancing to the music of a blind fiddler—and a very healthy business too!

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Russian Navy.

Russia has never been much of a naval power. Russia's "naval supremacy" was never destroyed, since such supremacy never existed. Japan destroyed the better part of her navy in the "battle of the Sea of Japan." At present Russia has but eight modern battleships, while England has 58 and Germany 33.

Spanish Stew.

Cook two pounds of lean pork cut in small pieces three hours. Add one cup of tomatoes, one onion, sliced thin, one clover of garlic, salt, pepper and paprika to suit taste, one-half teaspoonful of extract of beef and one cup of rice. Stew for one hour more.

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Did you ever walk down a street where many pretty homes and well-kept gardens could be seen and come suddenly face to face with an empty house, writes Margaret Wilkinson.

Did you not find the contrast something painful?

You had been passing many houses that showed unmistakable signs of life. There were curtains in the window, perhaps a baby carriage or the children's toys on the veranda, the lawns were well kept, the flower beds were full of blossoms. Perhaps you could even see a dear, white-haired old lady in a parlor or sitting room as you passed—or in another home you caught a glimpse of a small boy with a large doughnut in his hand—or a mother talking to her baby as she lifted it from the floor.

And then you came to the empty house. The windows were bare and dirty and there was no vista beyond them but blank walls. The walls were stained and streaked with mud that naughty little boys had thrown. The weeds were rank and thick in the lawn and in the flower beds. The house was no longer a home of human life. The life that was in it had gone out and forgotten it.

Some lives are like empty houses. The humanity, the inspiration and the soul have gone out of them. Perhaps there has been a great disappointment and the new tenant has not been found to take the place of the old—the new joy instead of the one that could not be had, the new work that would have meant success instead of the old work that did mean failure. And so the eyes that the soul should shine through are lusterless and vacant. The beauty that should abide within and be seen from without is not here. The stains of sorrow and cynicism are not wiped away. The weeds of discouragement and doubt and hesitation and fear have choked the kindly growths that make a home garden for the personality to dwell in.

But there is no empty house that cannot be made into a home, if someone will go and take into it the humanity and the life. There is no life that cannot find new work and new joy and become a habitation for the soul of a man or woman to shine through and to fulfill.

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War's Tax on Uniforms.

Some of the correspondents are already telling us that the British soldiers' uniforms are beginning to show wear and tear. It used to be believed that a good uniform would last a campaign. That was not the experience of 1870. In December, 1870 (says Von der Goltz), according to a writer in the Manchester Guardian, German soldiers might have been seen plodding along the miry roads in the depth of winter barefoot, while many had only wooden shoes and linen trousers.

When the Tenth corps marched into Le Mans in January scarcely a soldier was clothed in the regulation manner. Civilian garments, even French red breeches, were common. As is well known, during the South African war the Boers stripped the dead for supplies, and our soldiers developed quite a fancy for boots secured in this way. It was not callousness, but necessity developing a matter of fact habit of mind.

Famous Chef's Advice.

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Discussing the mental anguish depicted by the tales of suicide, madness and desertion among soldiers, "to say nothing of mental frenzy expressing itself in wanton murder," the Journal of the American Medical association says that as yet there have been no scientific studies of the effect of war on the minds of officers and enlisted men. But short rations, lack of sleep, emotionalism, exposure, exertion, homesickness and so on, might well unbalance many minds that in ordinary conditions would pass for sane. The first results of an inquiry in our own army by Dr. E. King, under the surgeon general's advice, show that one-fifth of all the discharges for disease and external causes are on account of mental diseases. Dementia praecox is the most frequent form, averaging about fifty-six per cent each year, of all the dismissals for mental unsoundness.

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Politics, it is said, often makes queer bedfellows. It should not, however, make serious enemies.

A Lincoln, Neb., professor found a duck that had turned to soap. Is this another advertising scheme?

Two hundred and eleven carloads of cedar logs to be made into lead pencils were shipped from Sisson, Cal., this year.

Yolo county recently shipped $10,000 worth of alfalfa seed to South America by way of the port of San Francisco.

The telephone company was good to the municipality of Berkeley. The company gives the city the use of 75 phones free of cost.

Of the twelve federal reserve banks opened the San Francisco district has one-third the total gold supply held by banks in the United States.

On December 15, next Tuesday, everybody is expected to write a letter to eastern friends urging them to "come out to the big expositions."

Large shipments of cattle are being made from Arizona into Fresno and adjoining counties to be fattened on alfalfa. The Pacific Coast is free from the malignant foot-and-mouth disease.

Bank clearings for the month of November were: San Francisco $213,238,224, Los Angeles $85,134,849, Oakland $13,916,869, Sacramento $9,360,945, San Diego $7,164,160, Fresno $5,958,104.

The Richmond Terminal newspaper contributes hundreds of dollars annually in advertising and boosting Richmond, and this without remuneration. The space donated figured at commercial rates would amount to hundreds of dollars. No other agency can or will do for a community what a newspaper can do. Editors of local newspapers do the most for the least money of any people on earth.

A small remittance of "dinero" often work wonders with editors and publishers, whose advertising space is their stock in trade. Newspaper publishers and employes cannot live on climate. The promoters of the big Expo. across the bay, and especially the publicity bunch, in sending out bales of typewritten copy to rural editors, should at least enclose a gate pass to the grounds.

Congressman Chas. F. Curry has no doubt kept in mind the barren condition of Richmond in regard to flower gardens, so he has sent The Terminal a large invoice of flower seeds, several varieties, including the California poppy. These seeds are free to those who will take them away and make use of them. The beautifying of homes can easily be accomplished by planting these seeds and putting them to work. Come and get them. They are free.

New York City's water system is completed, and the Catskill aqueduct tube will be supplying pure Catskill mountain water from the Ashokan dam at Esopus, N. Y., to Brooklyn in another year. The tube is 111 miles in length, and is the longest water tunnel in the world. It will supply New York City with 50,000,000 gallons of water daily. It cost 200 human lives and $160,000,000.

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Battle of Wits Between Rivals In Love.

Florence Towle was wavering between Clayton Meritt and Douglas Drew. Both were attorneys, and both stood high in the profession, though Drew had a lucrative practice, while Meritt was but slowly making his way. Florence's inclinations were toward Meritt, but she was a practical girl and realized that Drew's established income was far preferable to Meritt's prospects. Her father, Judge Towle, had nothing but his salary, and she had seen her mother's struggles to bring up a family on a small income. Meritt, however, had an advantage in being a bright young fellow and was very popular.

One morning Judge Towle was in his study getting ready to go to court. Florence was in the room reading the morning paper. Clayton Meritt was announced and, mentioning a case he was to try before the judge that morning, asked him some question as to the law governing it. After receiving the desired information he left.

Now, at that time Douglas Drew had just been appointed the state's attorney. Florence knew this and asked her father if Meritt and Drew would not stand in this case as prosecutor and defender. The judge answered in the affirmative, and Florence resolved to go to court and witness the trial.

The defendant accused of embezzlement was a young man whose intellect, his mother testified, had been impaired in childhood by a severe case of scarlet fever. Meritt knew that he had been merely a catspaw of others, but they had covered their tracks so well that he had not a scrap of proof against them. As the case progressed it was plain that unless the jury could be influenced sympathetically in the defendant's favor he would be convicted. But juries have been so often hoodwinked by pathetic appeals that Meritt had no confidence of success in this manner. He laid his plans differently.

To prove one of those formalities that are of no importance in themselves, through required by law, Meritt forced the prosecution to put on the stand a clerk of the court and having got him there proceeded to examine him.

"Who attends to the details of business of the court?" asked Meritt.

"I do."

"Consequently you decide many matters for the judges, do you not?"

"I do necessarily."

"Did you not recommend to his honor in this case that bail be refused?"

"I did."

"And were you not present during a discussion between his honor and Judge B. concerning this matter of bail?"

"I was."

"Now, answer me on your oath. Did you not hear his honor say that there was no case against my client?"

Every one in court who had the slightest knowledge of law was astonished at such a question which any student in a law school would know an attorney had no right to ask. The prosecuting attorney jumped to his feet and objected. But the jury had heard the question, and, though they had not heard the answer, they believed that the judge must have made the remark or the attorney for the defense would not have thought of asking the witness to repeat it. Meritt, seeing that they had been influenced, rested his case. The jury retired and when it returned brought in a verdict of "not guilty."

As Florence Towle walked out of the courtroom she was joined by the rivals for her favor.

"Meritt," said Drew, "why did you ask such an unheard of question as whether the judge had expressed an opinion on the case?"

"And why did you object?" asked Meritt.

"Object? Because you had no right to ask such a question."

"Certainly I had not. And had you not objected my asking it would have been of no avail. You should have waited for the answer, and it would have been 'no.' Of course his honor never said any such thing."

The two men and the girl exchanged glances. Drew looked ready to bite off his tongue that had made the objection. Meritt smiled complacently, and Miss Towle burst out laughing. The prosecuting attorney returned to the courtroom to attend to the next case, while Meritt and Florence left the building, and before they parted Meritt had been invited to dine at the Towle home the same evening.

"Give me your hand," said the judge to Meritt when they met. "You are the first lawyer since I have been on the bench who has had the impudence to attempt to prove that I had expressed an opinion in a case to be tried before me."

"And you saved an innocent person," Florence put in, "for you know, papa, Mr. Meritt said that he knew his client was not guilty."

"I was sure to lose my case," replied Meritt, "unless I could win it by a ruse. I was in an agony of dread lest the prosecuting attorney should permit the witness to answer."

From that moment the love tables were turned in favor of Meritt. The judge was delighted with his brilliant stroke, and the daughter had always preferred him. Meritt won the girl and in time became one of the most distinguished cross examiners at the bar.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California.

The Merchants National Bank of San Francisco, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. Gust Bravos, Defendant.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, case number 5675, issued out of the Superior Court, of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, on the 19th day of November, 1914, in the above entitled action wherein The Merchants National Bank of San Francisco, a corporation, the above-named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Gust Bravos, defendant, on the 9th day of November, 1914, for the sum of Seven Hundred Ninety-four and 42-100 (794.42) dollars, together with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum, compounded monthly, from the 17th day of December, 1913, together with the further sum of Thirty-nine and 15-100 (39.15) dollars cost, and together with the further sum of One Hundred (100.00) dollars attorneys' fees, which sum is to draw and bear interest from date hereof, at the rate of 7% per annum, recorded in judgment book 14, of said court at page 137, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece, parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 13 (thirteen) in Block No. 11 (eleven) as said lot and block are laid down and delineated upon that certain map entitled "The Henderson-Tapscott Tract No. 1," which said map was filed for record in the office of the County Recorder at Martinez, Contra Costa County, California, on the first day of April, 1907.

Public notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 29th day of December, 1914, at 11 o'clock A. M. of that day in front of the Court House door of the County of Contra Costa, in the city of Martinez, State of California, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs, to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Dated November 23rd, 1914.

R. R. VEALE,
Sheriff of Contra Costa County.
W. M. VEALE,
Deputy Sheriff.

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Last publication, Dec. 24, 1914.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of California.

In the matter of George W. De Bord, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of George W. De Bord of the County of Contra Costa, district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of November, A. D. 1914, the said George W. De Bord was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his Creditors will be held at 704 Union Savings Bank Bldg., in the City of Oakland, State aforesaid, on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of proving their claims against the estate of said bankrupt, and examining said bankrupt; and that at the same time and place all creditors whose claims have been duly proven and allowed shall appoint one or three trustees of said estate, and also may consider whether such trustee or trustees shall be authorized to sell the property of the estate.

Claims must be prepared in form required by the Bankruptcy Act, and sworn to.

Dated, Oakland, Cal., Nov. 25, A. D., 1914.

WM. J. HAYES,
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Odell & Hall, Attorneys for Petitioner.

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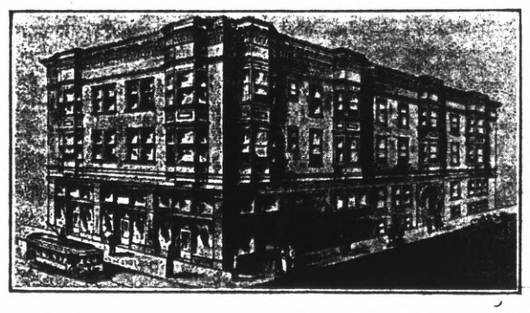

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of Vincent F. Connolly, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Vincent F. Connolly, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator at the law office of J. E. Rodgers, Byron Brown Bldg., Martinez, Cal., which said Administrator selects and designates as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated, October, 1914.

CHARLES E. DALEY,
Administrator of the Estate of Vincent R. Connolly, Deceased.
J. E. RODGERS,
Attorney for Administrator, Byron Brown Bldg., Martinez, Cal.
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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

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